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DCR Recreational Advisory: December Holiday Vacation Expanded Public Skating Hours

The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) announces expanded public skating hours at the agency's eight indoor ice skating rinks over the December Holiday School Vacation week.

The expanded public skating schedule for DCR-operated rinks is below. For a full list of all DCR-owned rinks, including those managed by individual municipalities or other outside groups, visit www.mass.gov/dcr.

A number of DCR rinks offer sleds for accessible skating opportunities and many rinks have skate rentals and snack concessions. Call individual rinks for availability.

DCR's December Holiday Vacation Week Expanded Public Skating Hours

Bajko Skating Rink, Hyde Park

Wednesday	12/24	12-3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	12pm - 3pm
Saturday	12/27	None
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4pm
Monday	12/29	9am – 3pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am – 3pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am – 3pm

Devine Skating Rink, Dorchester

Wednesday	12/24	12-3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	12pm - 3pm, 7pm -9pm
Saturday	12/27	7pm – 9pm
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4pm

Monday	12/29	9am – 3pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am – 3pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am – 3pm

Emmons-Horrigan-O’Neil Skating Rink, Charlestown

Wednesday	12/24	9am - 3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	9am - 3pm
Saturday	12/27	8pm – 10pm
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4pm, 8pm – 10pm
Monday	12/29	9am – 3pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am – 3pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am – 3pm

Murphy Skating Rink, South Boston

Wednesday	12/24	12-3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	12pm - 3pm, 7pm -9pm
Saturday	12/27	7pm - 9pm
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4pm
Monday	12/29	9am - 3pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am - 3pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am - 3pm

Reilly Skating Rink, Brighton

Wednesday	12/24	9am - 3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	9am - 3pm,
Saturday	12/27	2pm – 4pm
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4pm
Monday	12/29	9am – 3pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am – 3pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am – 3pm

Steriti Skating Rink, North End

Wednesday	12/24	9am -3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	9am - 4pm, 7pm -10pm
Saturday	12/27	3pm - 10pm
Sunday	12/28	3pm - 10pm
Monday	12/29	9am - 4pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am - 5pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am - 10am, 12pm -9pm

Kelly Rink, Jamaica Plain

Wednesday	12/24	12pm - 7:30pm
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Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	12pm - 7:30pm
Saturday	12/27	12pm - 7:30pm
Sunday	12/28	12pm - 7:30pm
Monday	12/29	12pm - 7:30pm
Tuesday	12/30	12pm - 7:30pm
Wednesday	12/31	12pm - 7:30pm

Connell Rink, Weymouth

Wednesday	12/24	9am - 3pm
Thursday	12/25	Closed
Friday	12/26	9am - 3:00pm
Saturday	12/27	2pm - 4:00pm
Sunday	12/28	2pm - 4:00pm
Monday	12/29	9am - 2:30pm
Tuesday	12/30	9am - 3:00pm
Wednesday	12/31	9am - 3:00pm

The Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), an agency of the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, oversees 450,000 acres of parks and forests, beaches, bike trails, watersheds, dams, and parkways. Led by Commissioner Jack Murray, the agency's mission is to protect, promote, and enhance our common wealth of natural, cultural, and recreational resources. To learn more about DCR, our facilities, and our programs, please visit www.mass.gov/dcr. Contact us at mass.parks@state.ma.us.

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